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SUBJECT: LUKANOV VISIT TO ANKARA

REFS: A) ANKARA 2696, B) SOFIA 728

1. WE UNDERSTAND LUKANOV VISIT IS PRELIMINARY TO A MEETING OF THE TURKISH-BULGARIAN JOINT ECONOMIC COMMITTEE SCHEDULED FOR APRIL 25 IN SOFIA. FOR THIS MEETING, AS REPORTED REF A, TURKISH MINISTER OF COMMERCE TEOMAN KOPRULULER WILL TRAVEL TO SOFIA. A CENTRAL TOPIC OF DISCUSSION AT THE SOFIA MEETING REPORTEDLY WILL BE JOINT CONSTRUCTION OF A DAM ON THE RIVER TUNCA.

2. TURKISH PRESS REPORTS THAT PRIOR TO LUKANOV'S DEPARTURE YESTERDAY (APRIL 18), AGREEMENT IN PRINCIPLE BETWEEN THE TWO SIDES WAS REACHED REGARDING TURKISH PURCHASES OF DIESEL OIL, FUEL OIL, FERTILIZER, AND IRON AND STEEL FROM BULGARIA. BULGARIAN SUPPLY OF ELECTRIC ENERGY WAS ALSO DISCUSSED, THOUGH WE DO NOT YET HAVE DETAILS. TURKEY, ACCORDING TO PRELIMINARY REPORTS, WILL EXPORT TO BULGARIA A VARIETY OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS INCLUDING TEA, TOBACCO, COTTON AND CITRUS FRUITS AS WELL AS SHOES, READY MADE CLOTHES, AND OTHER PRODUCTS MANUFACTURED BY TURKISH STATE ENTERPRISE SUMERBANK.

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3. WE EXPECT MORE DETAILS TO BECOME AVAILABLE IN NEXT DAY OR SO AND WILL REPORT ACCORDINGLY.
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